



Highly specialized and customizable audits to improve overall school and student achievement



Comprehensive Audits

Audits of district or school systems and procedures combined with observations of the systems and procedures in classrooms.



Culture & Climate Audits

Audits of district or school policies and procedures and their implementation in school settings to compare intention to reality to best practice.



Curriculum Audits

An audit of a district or school curriculum to establish its relationship to state expectations and standards, the state test, and to classroom practice.



Instructional Reviews

Audits that focus on the interaction of teachers and learners within a school setting and compare expectation to reality to best practice.



Program & Content Area Audits

Audits that assess the performance of a particular program (e.g. a math program or reading program), focusing on the data used to select the program, the congruence of the program to the state expectations, the implementation of the program at the classroom level, the flexibility of the program for monitoring and adjusting to meet student needs, and the impact of the program on student performance.



Behavior Management Audits

Audits that analyze district and school behavior management policies and procedures, their implementation at the school and classroom level, and their relationship to instructional best practice.

Educational Directions audit teams include:



A senior team that works with the district to customize the process, organize and analyze the data, and write the final report.

An on-site team that conducts an artifacts study, facilitates the interviews, completes the field observations, and organizes the data for the senior team. Team membership includes a captain, a facilitator, a data manager, classroom observers (number determined by the size of the school), and, if contracted, content area or program area specialists.